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New books at Lillie's.

Try a "Y. B."—it's the best, 10c.

Have you smoked a Purity cigar?

Vaccine prints at Lillie's drug store.

Straw for sale, enquire of H. H. Harrison.

For pure drugs go to Lillie's drug store.

Have your prescriptions filled at Lillie's drug store.

Purity cigars are cool and sweet, at Wallace's drug store.

For Rent—Good South front room. Enquire 524 E. Harrison.

Miss Jane Hagar, teacher of piano and organ, 123 Broad street.

A big bargain—House and two lots east of Masonic temple. Enquire of E. C. McCracken at the Leader office.

The Shriners of Oklahoma and Indian territories met at Oklahoma City this afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Royal hotel.

D. W. Marquart has returned to Oklahoma to live. He went to Joplin some months ago. He was president of the Citizen's Bank at Norman.

Have you tried Searchlight Pills for disordered stomach and bowels? They cure sick headache, biliousness, constipation, etc. Ten cents a bottle at Lillie's Drug & Book Store.

Stumpff & Co. have opened a grocery, meat market and feed store at corner of Oklahoma and Broad. New stock and good service. Phone 44.

Strayed—From 410 East Springer, one large black sow, weight about 300 pounds. A liberal reward to know where she can be found.

A. MCCracken.

Searchlight Pills cure live ills and all diseases arising from a disordered stomach, liver or bowels. 10 cents a bottle. Sold and guaranteed by F. B. Lillie & Co., Guthrie, O. T.

Mrs. Bowman and son, George E. Bowman, together with her brother, S. W. Pearson, and sister, Mrs. Beat-bauch, have arrived from Newkirk to make this city their home. Mrs. Bowman has disposed of her fine tract of land in Kay county and will purchase property here. They have made the change so as to live near her daughter, Mesdames J. O. Severns and Will Stiles.

Biggie Berry Book, No. 2 of The Biggie Books is all about berries. A whole encyclopedia of berry lore, boiled down after the manner of Farm Journal. Tells about varieties, about planting, growing, mulching, cultivating, picking and marketing. It gives practical pointers from the pens of scores of leading berry growers from all parts of the country who have contributed to its columns. It has colored representations of berry true to size and color, thirty-three portraits of practical berrymen, and thirty-five other illustrations, handsomely bound in cloth. The price is 50 cents, free by mail; address the publishers, Wilmer Atherton Co., Philadelphia.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascara Candy Cakes, 10c or 50c. 25¢ U. S. C. for cure, druggists refund money.

Substantial Showing.

In another place in this issue will be found the annual statement of the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York for 1899, showing that during the year the assets were increased \$34,327,212, and the total sum now held by this institution for the security of its policy holders is \$301,844,537.52.

The receipts for the year were \$38,890,077.31. After placing \$351,711,988 to the credit of the reserve fund and other liabilities, in accordance with the requirements of the New York insurance department, the company had a contingent guarantee fund of \$47,552,548 in addition to the dividends to be apportioned this year.

In 1899 the claims paid arising from the death of policy holders amounted to \$15,029,979, and in addition to this the company paid during the twelve months \$10,739,057 on account of endowments, dividends, etc. The insurance in force on December 31, 1898, amounted to \$971,711,997. On December 31, 1899, the business in force aggregated in amount \$1,052,605,311. Since its organization, in 1843, the company has paid to its policy holders \$514,117,040.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Al Hixon and wife are visiting relatives in Kansas.

Mrs. Chas. Lowrie left today to join her husband at Purcell.

Gus Hart, the paper bag man, of Springfield, is in the city.

Sam F. Woodland of Wichita is in the city looking after insurance matters.

John Walters, the cigar man, went to Oklahoma City today to show his goods.

Judge A. R. Museller of Perry was here last evening looking after business matters.

Charles E. Winter, of Charleston, Ill., is in the city. He is a leading clothing dealer of that city.

U. C. Guss, Bird S. McGuire, George H. Willis and Charles Billingsley went to Oklahoma City today to attend the Shriners' meeting.

Gov. Barnes and H. E. Asp went to Norman today to attend a meeting of the board of regents of the territorial university.

Joe Trahan this morning left for his home at Lebanon, Ill. He came to Guthrie last June and while here has formed a wide circle of young friends and admirers, who regret his departure. He has been connected with the Elsenhardt & Weckle Shoe company.

Dr. J. Ransom Hamill and family have arrived and have convenient quarters in the Dewey. Dr. Hamill is from Chicago and a physician of much skill. He is a very pleasant gentleman and will have no trouble in making friends. Guthrie welcomes him and his family to its midst.

For Rent.

Two furnished rooms for light house keeping, corner Grant and Vine.

Private Dancing.

Mrs. Tanner will teach the three step, also a five step, in one hour, the can-can in two hours.

Don't irritate your lungs with a stubborn cough when a pleasant and effective remedy may be found in BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by F. B. Lillie & Co., and Wheeler & Son.

CHILD IN FEDERAL JAIL.

Alex. McCullum, 19 Years Old, in for Whisky Peddling.

The federal jail has an infantile inmate as compared with other prisoners. Alex. McCullum, a bright boy ten years of age, has been confined there for the past few months on the charge of peddling whisky in the Osage nation.

The story of the boy's adventures since last May is interesting. He left his home, near Gaylord, a town in the western part of Kansas, with a party of race horse men to ride horses for them. The outfit wandered through southern Kansas and wound up at a point in the Osage nation, and were one morning arrested while in an Indian's tepee, for whisky peddling. The lad was brought here with the gang. He speaks of handling the stuff but seemingly has no knowledge of it. United States Marshal Thompson investigated the case and learned the lad's address. He wrote a letter to his sister, who answered saying he had disappeared some months ago and had never been heard of until now. Mr. Thompson went to United States Attorney Speed and secured the lad's release on his recognizance, there being two prisoners who say the boy is not guilty, and will send him to Kingfisher tomorrow and from there home over the Rock Island railroad.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln who attended her that fearful night. "but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life and cured her of consumption. After taking she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Trial bottles free at Renfro's drug store.

Are They Dead Beasts?—The Mayor Talks.

The story published in the Leader on the 21st, told to the Leader by Mrs. A. R. Woodall and daughter, the city authorities declare is all bosh. According to the officers they were treated with the greatest kindness and consideration. They were taken to respectable places and cared for under the impression that they were what they represented themselves to be—needy persons in search of honest employment. Mayor Berkeley says it is absolutely false that an officer of the city or anyone else steered them to a place of questionable character; but, on the contrary, under the impression that they were in need of help, the greatest respect and kindness were shown them, which they shamefully abused by their whole conduct. He does not believe they desire employment, but are simply beating their way and imposing upon the good nature of the people.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25 cents per box. Sold by C. R. Renfro.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK

RICHARD A. MCCURDY President
STATEMENT
For the year ending December 31, 1899
According to the Standard of the Insurance Department of the State of New York.

INCOME
Received for Premiums - \$44,424,519 22
From all other sources - 14,246,557 99
\$58,671,077 21

DISBURSEMENTS
To Policy-holders for Claims by Death - \$15,029,979 43
To Policy-holders for Endowments, Dividends, etc. - 10,739,057 12
For all other accounts - 12,228,444 13
\$38,007,480 68

ASSETS
United States Bonds and other Securities - \$173,186,461 74
First Lien Loans on Bond and Mortgage - 74,794,421 63
Loans on Bonds and other Securities - 6,330,000 00
Loans on Company's Policies - 4,374,630 66
Real Estate, Company's Office Buildings, and other Properties - 23,180,525 06
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies - 13,012,455 02
Accrued interest, Net Deferred Premiums, etc. - 6,000,637 41
\$301,844,537 52

LIABILITIES
Policy Reserves, etc. - \$251,711,988 61
Contingent Guarantee Fund - 47,552,548 91
Available for Authorized Dividends - 2,180,000 00
\$301,844,537 52

Insurance and Annuities in force - \$1,052,605,311 64

I have carefully examined the foregoing Statement and find the same to be correct; liabilities calculated by the Insurance Department.

CHARLES A. FRELLER Auditor

ROBERT A. GRANNISS Vice-President

WALTER R. GILLETTE General Manager

ISAAC F. LLOYD Vice-President

FREDERICK CROMWELL Treasurer

EMORY MCCLINTOCK Actuary

John C. Elliott, Managing Agent, Chemical Building, 8th & Olive sts., St. Louis, Mo.

T. J. LOWE, Agent, Guthrie, O. T.

Royal Tribe Meeting.

There will be a meeting of the Royal Tribe Saturday evening. A large attendance is desired as there are several initiations and some important business of another nature will come up for consideration.

A. A. MEACHAM, Scribe.

An Editor's Life Saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

During the early part of October, 1898, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards Publisher of The Review, Wyant Ill., For sale by C. R. Renfro.

Opening of the Crescent Hotel.

At Eureka Springs, Arkansas. This popular hotel will be opened to the public as an all year resort March 1, 1900. A great many improvements have been made for the comfort and convenience of guests, and the best of service in every particular is assured. A grand opening ball will be given March 3, and for this occasion the Frisco line will sell tickets at a very low rate. Further information cheerfully given by any Frisco agent or the undersigned.

B. F. Dunn, District Passenger Agt., Wichita, Kansas.

Bryan Snyder, General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo.

THE CAPITOL NATIONAL BANK, OF GUTHRIE, OKLAHOMA, OFFERS TO DEPOSITORS EVERY FACILITY WHICH THEIR BALANCES, BUSINESS AND RESPONSIBILITY WARRANT.

Removed from 118 Harrison to 106 east Oklahoma avenue, next to Franklin's grocery. We are showing the nicest stock of Harness and Saddlery goods in Guthrie. Call and see me. I can save you money.
W. S. FINNEY.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

WILLIAMSON HALSELL FRASIER COMPANY
Wholesale Grocers Guthrie Okla. City.

The Best Food for Intellectual Thought.
No man can vote intelligently unless he thinks intelligently. In this time of "wars and rumors of wars" the greatest aid to intelligent thinking and the best food for intelligent thought is that newspaper which is greatest and best.

Important political issues are daily growing more important. An intelligent understanding of the policy of a nation or a great political party is something to be desired, and it is the duty of every citizen to thoroughly inform himself upon the leading topics of the day.

The Semi-Weekly Republic is the greatest and best of all newspapers. Its telegraph and cable news service excels that of any other paper. It prints the news fully; not imaginative occurrences, but domestic and world distant and fully authenticated facts.

The policies of the great political parties are now being formed and the candidates discussed. Now is the time to subscribe for the best medium of keeping in touch with the whole world, the Semi-Weekly Republic.

No less worthy of attention is the Republic's Sunday Magazine. It is replete each issue with the best of special articles written by the best of literary talent. Its beautiful half-tone illustrations have already made it famous and their quality and quantity will be preserved.

News features of absorbing attraction are illustrated and enlarged upon in a manner equal to the high priced magazines. Events of current interest are set forth in entertaining style. There is humor in its pages, too, and for the benefit of the ladies the latest Paris fashions are each week exquisitely illustrated and described. The Republic's Sunday Magazine is standard.

The subscription price of the Semi-Weekly Republic is \$1 a year. The Republic Sunday Magazine \$1.25 per year. Both papers are now being offered at the very low price of \$1.50 for one year. To secure this low rate both must be ordered and paid for at the same time.

Address all orders to The Republic, St. Louis, Mo.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Bucklen's Arnica salve will cure the pain and promptly heal it. Cures fever sores, ulcers, boils, corns, all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by C. R. Renfro, druggist.

Through First Class Pullman Sleepers Between Chicago and San Francisco.

Via Denver and Salt Lake City, will be inaugurated Feb. 25, by the great Rock Island Route, leaving Chicago at 10 p. m. daily, Omaha 1:30 p. m. The Colorado Rockies and the Sierra Nevada are crossed in daylight in both directions, making this the grandest scenic trip in the world. The cars are Pullman's finest broad vestibuled sleepers and are carried on limited trains with dining car service through and Buffet Library Cars. Direct connections to and from southern California. See your agent for berth reservations and folders, or address E. W. Thompson, A. G. P. A., Topeka.

Sad Accident.

Several people badly beaten, but no bones broken. A few will have lock-jaw, caused by some crooked word, having some unpronounceable name and belonging to some foreign tongue, getting crosswise in the organs of speech. All these people will have been at the spelling contest Friday night. This local is a prophecy.

"Of a Good Beginning cometh a good end." When you take Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify your blood you are making a good beginning, and the good end will be health and happiness. It never disappoints.

Sick headache is cured by Hood's Pills, 25c.

Marms.

Allie marms in ye olden tyme did teach, but are now marms of marms who now teach and (marms who now teach, and allie other marms, come to ye and spell.

Children who are troubled with worms are pale in the face, fretful by spells, restless in sleep, have blue rings around their eyes and pick the nose. WHITE'S BEAM VERMIFUGE will kill and expel these parasites. Price 25 cents. Sold by F. B. Lillie & Co., and Wheeler & Son.

Weekly Leader one year and the Farm Journal the remainder of 1900 and all of 1901, 1902, 1903 and 1904, for only 50c. Subscriptions begin with the current month; we cannot supply back numbers. Orders sent in February will begin with February, and so on.